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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22303-1450

Sir:

In regard to the above-identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached
 - a. Response to Notice of Non-compliant amendment
2. With respect to additional fees, no additional fee is required.
3. Please consider this or any subsequent paper requiring an additional fee to include by reference authorization that the Patent and Trademark Office charge any deficiency in the amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **13-2490**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
4. **CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8:** The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and this paper, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service, with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22303-1450 on this 16th day of March 2006.

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT
MAILED NOVEMBER 22, 2005**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice that Applicant's amendment to the Official Action dated November 22, 2005 was not in conformity with 37 C.F.R. §1.121, Applicant submits the following list of pending claims and request that this application be re-examined in view of his amendments and remarks.